

TABLE 1-10
NUMBER AND PERCENT OF WOMEN OF
CHILDBEARING AGE BY AGE GROUP
CALIFORNIA AND UNITED STATES, 1996-1998

AGE GROUP	CALIFORNIA		UNITED STATES	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
1998				
Total, 15-44	7,302,860	100.0	60,111,557	100.0
15-19	1,092,898	15.0	9,493,761	15.8
20-24	1,008,787	13.8	8,678,024	14.4
25-29	1,148,437	15.7	9,341,226	15.5
30-34	1,297,761	17.8	10,179,403	16.9
35-39	1,419,976	19.4	11,369,766	18.9
40-44	1,335,001	18.3	11,049,377	18.4
Median Age	31.5		31.2	
1997				
Total, 15-44	7,264,854	100.0	59,755,000	100.0
15-19	1,055,075	14.5	9,268,000	15.5
20-24	1,000,995	13.8	8,515,000	14.2
25-29	1,160,999	16.0	9,419,000	15.8
30-34	1,333,924	18.4	10,431,000	17.5
35-39	1,411,168	19.4	11,347,000	19.0
40-44	1,302,693	17.9	10,775,000	18.0
Median Age	31.6		31.3	
1996				
Total, 15-44	7,208,410	100.0	59,605,000	100.0
15-19	1,023,945	14.2	9,043,000	15.2
20-24	995,081	13.8	8,561,000	14.4
25-29	1,179,399	16.4	9,469,000	15.9
30-34	1,349,531	18.7	10,708,000	18.0
35-39	1,405,722	19.5	11,318,000	19.0
40-44	1,254,732	17.4	10,506,000	17.6
Median Age	31.5		31.3	

Source: State of California, Department of Finance, 1996 Population: 1970-1996 Race/Ethnic Population Estimates by County With Age and Sex Detail, January 1998; 1997 Population Estimates by Age, Sex, and Race/Ethnic Group, June 1999; 1998 Population Projections by Age, Sex, and Race/Ethnic Group, December 1998. National Center for Health Statistics, National Vital Statistics Reports: Birth: Final Data for 1998, Vol 48, No. 3, March 28, 2000.